

ANCHORLINE—York Sail & Power Boating Newsletter of DISTRICT 5

SPRING 2018

NOMINATIONS OF OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR 2018 - 2019

COMMANDER - P/C Thomas W. Wise, SN EXECUTIVE OFFICER - P/C Tom Miller, AP ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER - P/C JOYCE FILIUS, S SAFETY EDUCATION OFFICER - MILTON "BUD" MENCHEY, JN SECRETARY - CONNIE GUTSHALL, P TREASURER - LEE GUTSHALL, P

IN MEMORY OF P/C EDWIN LUTZ, AP, husband of Cathie Lutz, & **MRS. KATHY MILLER,** wife and helpmate to Cdr Thomas Miller.

Ed served as commander of York Sail and Power Squadron from 1979 to 1980.





Both will be missed.



Kathy was such a shining light to all she came in contact with.

CHANGE-OF-WATCH DETAILS ON PAGE 5 DEADLINE FOR RESERVATIONS - January 25, 2018

PILOTING COURSE BEGINNING - MONDAY, FEB 5 - DETAILS ON PAGE 4

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BRIDGE 2016-2017

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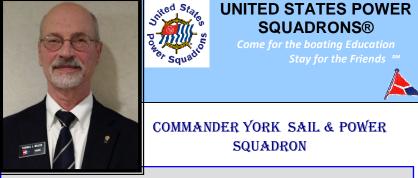
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COMMANDER'S MESSAGE

With this edition of the Anchorline, you will find a full complement of Bridge Officer nominees for the coming year (front page). Please come to the Change of Watch (COW) on 1 February prepared to approve this list of candidates or nominate others of your choice. For those not attending the COW, you may still express your opinion or register your vote by contacting me by telephone or email.

We had a successful 2017, teaching a safe boating class (ABC3) with 8 graduates and 4 pending a make-up exam, hundreds of boats checked for safety gear by our hard working Vessel Safety Examiners, good dinners with interesting speakers and several awards. Our Squadron distinguished itself through community service, excellence in teaching and the action of our Vessel Safety Committee. We also had a good time.

Thank you all for your kindness and support throughout my tenure as your Commander. It has been my honor to carry the Commander's flag for the last two years. It has been one of the best jobs that I didn't want, but am glad that I had. Please continue your support of our new Commander and Bridge Officers as the year goes forward. If we all help in whatever ways that we can we will continue as a valuable community asset and a good group of like minded friends. Happy New Year.

Respectfully, Tom

Cdr Tom Miller, AP Phone (717) 891-1487 E-mail - <u>tmiller524@aol.com</u>

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YORK SAIL & POWER SQUADRON BRIDGE OFFICERS



P/C Joyce C. Filius, S Administrative Officer



P/C Thomas W. Wise, SN Executive Officer



Lt/C Connie H. Gutshall, P Secretary



Lt/C Lee C. Gutshall, P Treasurer



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ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER'S REPORT

We have an interesting year planned for York Sail & Power Squadron with knowledgeable speakers, boating classes, and our annual picnic and shrimp & crab feast. We have also made and continue to make a concerted effort to find venues that are reasonably priced and convenient for our members. And when there is a specific menu offered, please know that you can always request a vegetarian meal.

One area that we would like to develop is to have activities for small boats, water-skis, and paddleboards, but need someone to spearhead this effort. If any of you would be willing to put together a navigation contest, an instructional day on the water, or just have a fun day of boating, please contact me.

And my report wouldn't be complete without thanking all of you who have helped to keep YSPS alive and well this past year. We know you are busy, but so appreciate each one of you contributing what time and energy you have available to keep our organization strong. And that includes Dolly Furst, who is masterful at producing the Anchorline and the many flyers during the year; Ed Furst, whose boundless energy persuades people to attend our boating classes; Bud Menchey, who enthralls and educates potential new members; Tom Miller, who successfully led us through the past two years; and the rest of our members who offer to help in any way they can.

It's a pleasure to be part of this great group!

Respectfully submitted, Joyce Phone: (717) 244-7010 E-mail: jfilius@wiseinc.com

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BOATING SAFETY

Another ABC Boating Course was held this past Fall. Largely due to Ed Furst's efforts, we had 12 students in attendance. It was an enthusiastic group and there may be one or two that become members for the YSPS; we will see.

I am starting a **Piloting Course** on **Monday, Feb, 5**, to be completed in early March. If you know anyone interested, please call Bud Menchey at 717-495-1553.



A photo pictured with our Commander Tom Miller and Instructor Bud Menchey at the most recent ABC Boating course held at the Menchey Academy.



YORK SAIL & POWER SQUADRON CHANGE-OF-WATCH





Thursday, 1 Feb 2018





50 North Penn Street, York, PA

What: Please join us for our Change-of-Watch on February 1st, 2018

> When: Social hour - 1800 Dinner - 1900 Change-of-Watch - 2000

Please note that we will be able to order off the menu and members will be billed individually.

Reservations are due on January 25th

Please Email Joyce Filius at <u>ifilius@wiseinc.com</u> or call 717- 244-7010

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A gift from United States Power Squadrons District 5 to Educational Officer, Lt/C Milton "Bud" Menchey, presented by P/C Fred Wise, Sr., for his educational commitment to safety. This award gift was given at the 2017 District 5 Spring Conference in Ocean City, MD from Mar 31 to April 3. Congratulations Bud!

P/Cdr Edward Furst received two awards in 2017. One for the most Vessel Safety Inspections for District 5, in the United States Power Squadrons and one for over 1,000 inspections over a 3 year period. Way to go Ed!!!





<u>York Sail & Power Squadron</u> won honorable mention due to Joyce Filius and her Civic Service achievement to the community of York, PA at the 2017 District 5 Spring Conference in Ocean City Maryland. Way to go Joyce!

Having a great time in OC Maryland at the 2017 DISTRICT 5 US POWER SQUADRONS SPRING CONFERENCE.







We were privileged to have D/5 District Commander Randy Stow and wife Judy at our COW in February2017.



A Photo of P/C Joyce Filius, who holds the office as Administrative Officer is seen here in this photo with Cdr Tom Miller honoring her with the District 5, 2nd place Civic Service award to the squadron for her writing accomplishments in Boating Safety Education (2 classes) and Vessel Safety Inspections (approx 430) for the year 2016. Thank you Joyce for all the work you do for York Sail & Power Squadron.

Meeting time at Wyndrige Farms in Dallastown with OLLI speaker, Charles Hoffman from Penn State Extension sharing volunteer opportunities and free educational programs to seniors.. Excellent program!







The three Brendas of York Sail and Power Squadron











September Crab & Shrimp Feast - Photos

















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Saturday, APRIL 14 8:00 a.m. until?

MARYLAND SALTWATER SPORTFISHING ASSOCIATION

is having their vessels examined at Gander Mountain parking lot, near West Manchester Mall area, York.

Anyone interested in having their vessels examined can show up.

Any questions contact Dale Fanale at (717) 854-9495



VESSEL SAFETY EXAMS

at

Susquehanna River Launch #1 & #2 MAY 5, 2018 9:00 A.M. - Until??

If anyone knows of boat owners wanting an early inspection, please mention the date above. We will jump-start our inspection season by getting your vessel inspected EARLY! Bring your vessel and join in with the friendship and fun. We will inspect until all who show up are completed.





VSC Inspectors: (L to R) Dale Fanale, Terry Witmer, Don McKonly (not pictured) and Ed Furst, Chairman



2018-2019 YSPS SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

25-29 Jan

*1 FEB *5 APRIL *3 MAY 5 MAY

1 JUNE (Friday) JUNE (TBA) 8 SEPTEMBER (Saturday) *4 OCTOBER

OCTOBER (TBA) *2 NOVEMBER

CAR & BOAT SHOW at Farm Show Complex in Harrisburg - Dale Fanale for information - 717-854-9495) **CHANGE-OF-WATCH DINNER MEETING DINNER MEETING VESSEL SAFETY EXAMS -** Susquehanna River (Launch #1 & #2) FAMILY & FRIENDS PICNIC - The Wise Woods **NAVIGATION CONTEST - (TBA)** SHRIMP & CRAB FEAST - The Wise Woods DINNER MEETING (Ed & Dolly's Home -SPEAKER - TBA) **FROSTBITE CRUISE DINNER MEETING** at Shank's Mare on the Susquehanna River - with Officer Darrin Kepler from the PA Waterways Commission

8 DECEMBER (Saturday)

* Dinner Meetings are always held on Thursday evenings unless otherwise noted

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HOLIDAY PARTY - (TBA)

2019 DATES 3 JAN —ADMINISTRATIVE MEETING 7 FEBRUARY—MEETING/NOMINATION/ELECTION//CHANGE-OF-WATCH

ANCHORLINE SPRING 2018





To All Members of York Sail & Power Squadron